

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

**In re: Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether
("MTBE") Products Liability Litigation**

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) **WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE**
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Bracewell & Giuliani LLP, counsel for Defendants Valero Energy Corporation, Valero Marketing and Supply Company, Valero Refining and Marketing Company, Valero Refining Company-New Jersey, Valero Refining Company-Delaware, Valero Refining Company-California, Ultramar Inc., The Premcor Refining Group, Inc., and TOTAL PETROCHEMICALS USA, INC., f/k/a Atofina Petrochemicals, Inc., hereby informs the Court that Benjamin H. Patton is no longer associated with the firm, and requests that the Court withdraw the appearance of Mr. Patton as counsel pro hac vice in these actions.

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Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of Withdrawal of Appearance was served upon counsel for MDL Plaintiffs and all other counsel of record via LexisNexis File & Serve on the 10th day of October 2011.


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